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Inventor(s): Paul LUM

Serial No.: 10/643,071

Examiner: William RODRIGUEZ

Filing Date: August 18, 2003

Group Art Unit: 3746

## Title:

A MICRO PADDLE WHEEL PUMP FOR PRECISE PUMPING, MIXING, DISPENSING, AND VALVING

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<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ 300	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1 <sup>ST</sup> MONTH 120.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	2 <sup>ND</sup> MONTH 450.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3 <sup>RD</sup> MONTH 1020.00	<input type="checkbox"/>
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					OTHER FEES	\$ 0
					TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT	\$ 1050

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Respectfully submitted,

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Paul LUM ) Group Art Unit: 3746  
Application No.: 10/643,071 ) Examiner: RODRIGUEZ, William  
Filed: August 18, 2003 )  
For: A MICRO PADDLE WHEEL PUMP FOR ) Confirmation No.: 4192  
PRECISE PUMPING, MIXING, )  
DISPENSING, AND VALVING OF BLOOD )  
AND REAGENTS )

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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed December 28, 2004, the period of response having been extended via Petition for extension of time and associated request to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1078 filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below and consider the following remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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